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SUBJECT: CULTURAL PRESENTATIONS (CU/ARTS): JOSE LIMON

REF: A) SOFIA 1486, B) SOFIA 1456, C) STATE 169979,

D) STATE 161470, E) SOFIA 1151

1. WE CONFIRM TOUR DATES SEPT 13-18. COMPANY AND  
PROPERTIES SCHEDULED ARRIVE SOFIA 0720 SEPT 13 ON LZ 164.

2. NUMBER IN COMPANY REVISED DOWNWARD TO TWENTY-ONE RPT  
TWENTY-ONE INCLUDING DEPT ESCORT VICE TWENTY-THREE  
REVISES ACCOMMODATIONS TO SIX TWINS STEAD SEVEN, ONE SUITE,  
EIGHT SINGLES (REFTEL D - PARA ONE SUB-PARA B).

3. TOTAL WEIGHT TOUR PROPERTIES SIX THOUSAND POUNDS.  
TOTAL NUMBER CRATES THIRTY-SEVEN. COMPANY NOT CARRYING  
ITS LINOLEUM FLOORING AS HANKINS ADVISES MUSICAL THEATRE  
HAS LINOLEUM AVAILABLE. APPRECIATE CONFIRM. EXCLUDING  
ELECTRICS AND FLOORING CUBIC VOLUME OF 6,000 POUNDS OF  
PROPERTIES IS 6.23 CUBIC METERS. TO ASSURE MINIMUM  
DELAY IN SETTING UP AT MUSICAL THEATRE APPRECIATE EMB  
ASSURE THEATRE'S STAGE AND BACKSTAGE PREMISES ARE CLEAR OF  
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PROPERTIES AND WASHED DOWN WITH AMMONIA.

4. IN CONNECTION WITH SEPT 13 TRANSPORT ATHENS-SOFTA GROUP AND PROPERTIES; CONFIRM PRIORITY WHETHER SOFIA CONCERT WILL RESERVE SPACE AT THEIR EXPENSE FOR MEMBERS (21) AND TOTAL PROPERTIES ON ABOVE-MENTIONED FLIGHT SCHEDULE. FYI. SEPT 13 LZ 164 SCHEDULE ATHENS-SOFIA IS ONLY FLIGHT AVAILABLE THAT DAY, END FYI.

5. RE SEPT 18 DEPARTURE. COMPANY SCHEDULED DEPART SOFIA 0905 LZ 125 FOR VIENNA AT DEPT EXPENSE. SOFIA CONCERT TO ARRANGE AT ITS EXPENSE RETURN TOTAL PROPERTIES SOFIA-ATHENS 1000 RO-203. DEPT ESCORT WILL REMAIN BEHIND TO INSURE TIMELY DEPARTURE OF FREIGHT. APPRECIATE CONFIRM.

6. WILL FURNISH PROGRAM PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE BY END THIS WEEK.

7. RE PARA 6 REFTEL B. COMPANY'S ITINERARY FOR WESTERN EUROPE INCLUDES APPEARANCES ONLY IN ITALY DURING AUGUST 3-11. WILL FURNISH CITY SCHEDULE SOON AS IT IS FIRMED UP.

8. DEPT PLANS HAVE COMPANY APPLY FOR BULGARIAN VISAS BEFORE END THIS WEEK. APPRECIATE EMB SUPPORT THROUGH MFA FOR VISA ISSUANCE IN ATHENS DURING SEPT 4-12. BIO DETAILS FOLLOW UNDER SEPARATE COVER. ADVISE.

9. REQUEST FOR REPRESENTATIONAL SUPPORT SUBJECT REFTE6. KISSINGER

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